

sion, and be incorporated by the name of *The Vestry of such a new Parish*, and such Vestry and Churchwardens shall have all the powers hereby granted in this Act to other Vestrymen and Churchwardens; provided always that a majority of the members of the Protestant Episcopal Church, qualified to vote for Vestrymen, residing in any Parish, or part or parts of a Parish or Parishes, proposed to be added to any new Parish or Parishes, or to be constituted into a new Parish, shall consent thereto.

*The Vestry of any new Parish or Separate Congregation thus created when elected shall cause a certificate to be made and signed by a majority of said Vestrymen with the State Tax Commission of Maryland, or other successor State agency, in which shall be set forth the material facts with regard to the organization of the new Parish or Separate Congregation stating the name thereof, the time and authority for its creation, the name and residence of the Vestrymen so elected and the place or places where the principal Church thereof shall be situated, and that the corporation so created shall be subject to the provisions of this Act. The customary established recording fee shall be paid for the recording of such certificate.*

*And in case of the creation of any new Separate Congregation of the Protestant Episcopal Church other than by the division of an existing Parish by authority of the Convention of the Church as above provided, or of the particular Diocese, and the acceptance by the Convention of union with it, a like certificate shall be made, filed and recorded as aforesaid.*

*And as Vestries heretofore formed under the Vestry Act have not been required publicly to record their charters, the State Tax Commission or its successor State Agency is authorized to record, at customary rates, a certificate showing the material facts with regard to the organization of the Vestry of such Parishes or Separate Congregations stating the name thereof, the time and authority for its creation, the name and residence of its Vestrymen and the place or places where the principal Church thereof is situated, upon the request of the Convention of any Diocese with which the Parish or Separate Congregation whose certificate is offered for record is in union or upon the request of the particular Vestry in this State whose certificate is offered for record.*

291V. *In case the Vestry of any Parish or Separate Congregation now or hereafter subject to this Act, by reason of shifts in population or other changed economic conditions, shall be or become financially unable to support*